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Gavit Recommends Dr. J. F. Williams For Science Honor

Head Of Physical Education
Department At Columbia
University Receives D. Sc.

Dr. Gavit:

Mr. President: It is my high privilege to present to you, with commendation of the degree *Doctor of Science*, *Dr. J. F. Williams*, M. D., head of the department of Health and Physical Education in Teachers College, Columbia University. Born 58 years ago at Kenton, Ohio, educational product of the public schools of that place, Bachelor of Arts (1899) of Oberlin College; Doctor of Medicine (1915) of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University. Dr. Williams has devoted his professional career chiefly to the cause of health and physical education, as indispensable in the development of personality, and during the past ten years to the training of teachers inspired and equipped to further that cause. His whole career is eloquent of his spirit and his achievements. As athlete, coach, instructor in the New York School for Blind, professor in the University of Cincinnati, officer in the Medical Corps of the Army, head of Recreation Hospitals for the American Red Cross, instructor, assistant professor, in Teachers College.

His output of books, public lectures, articles in periodicals, is enormous. Many of his books are standard textbooks in schools and colleges. He has been President of the American Physical Education Association and the College Physical Education Association. In 1935-36 he was Visiting Professor of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace at the University of Latin America. Last month he was distinguished by the Health Education Teachers Association of the New York City High Schools with the coveted Gold Award.

His interest in education is intense and unquenchable; but always it contemplates the all-round development, not the physical body alone, but of mind, body, spirit, as a unified and indivisible whole. It is peculiarly fitting that now, as Rollins College intensifies its effort to provide that direction, it should give special recognition to a man of such excellence and leadership and teacher and inspiration in that field.

I give you—Dr. James F. Williams—here present!

President Rollins:
Doctor of Medicine, Author, Athlete and Trainer of Athletes and Teacher of Teachers; friend and helper of young people in their search for significance, unity and purpose in life; battling pioneer in the effort to break down all scholastic barriers and to make education serve the truest human values.

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Rollins College confers upon you the degree of Doctor of Science, and admits you to all its rights and privileges.

Gamma Phi Tea Given For Carolyn Lewis

Social Event Honors Birthday of New Member

The Gamma Phi weekly tea this Friday was held in honor of Carolyn Lewis as it was her birthday. A birthday cake with candles was presented during the tea. Besides the members of the society many guests were present, among whom were Mrs. Montgomery, Mrs. Winters, Mrs. Stricker, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Mix, Mr. Potter, Nancy Locke, Gussie Vix, Warren Home, Pat Patterson, Jess Grogg, Vicky Morgan.

George Fuller to Graduate With Honors In Hand

Is Only Student To Ever
Make ODK as Sophomore;
Has Played Shakespeare

One of the most outstanding of the campus personalities is George Fuller. George has behind him a list of college activities and achievements indicating that he deserves more time to extra-curricular activities in one year than the average student does in four years.

A dramatic art major in his freshman year, he soon proved his acting ability by gaining acceptance into the student drama company. The next year he not only made the Amie Russell Company, but shared with Calley Bailey the Amie Russell Acting Award for his portrayal of Robert Slocum in "Men Must Fight".

George's student theatricals, though, were by no means his first contact with the footlights. Upon graduating from high school he joined a group of actors who put on abbreviated streamline versions of Shakespearean plays. These plays, lasting from ten thirty to sixty minutes, were given at the Chicago World's Fair in 1933 and 1934 in a replica of Shakespeare's Globe Theatre. Expositions and Fairs seem to have a great pull on George for in 1935 he was at the San Diego Exposition doing the same plays. Then in 1936 and 1937 he was in charge of all the outside entertaining for Tony Sarg's Maricotties. This outside entertaining consisted of the devising and carrying out of methods, including carnival style larking, of attracting customers in to see the show.

George's changing his major to business administration may or may not account for his being appointed manager of the feeding team and business manager of the SANDSPUR. And his managing ability was evidently equal to his acting ability, for in 1937 he continued in the same capacity with the SANDSPUR, managed the baseball team, and became assistant editor of the Sandspur.

His activities as a club and committee man have also covered a wide range. He has been on the International Relations Club, the Inter-collegiate Council, the French Club, the Folk Love Society, the Phi



GEORGE FULLER

Gamma Mu Social Science Club, and is now secretary of Phi Delta Theta. In fact he entered so many activities that by the end of his sophomore year he was elected a member of the honorary fraternity, O. D. K., thereby gaining the distinction of being the only person in the history of the college to make O. D. K. before his junior year.

This year George spends the greater part of his time for outside affairs directing the Rollins radio program. As president of the Radio Committee he raised enough money to finance the remote control broadcasts which have been given since November last. New to him and perhaps as well as an unknown to the majority were well received.

George's plans for work after graduation are not yet definite. On the one hand he would like to continue in radio, either in the advertising end or the producing end, doing much the same sort of work he is now handling. On the other hand he would like to go in with his father in the promotion and development of a chain of the latest tourist resorts throughout the South.

Certainly though, if his achievements at Rollins can be accepted as an indication of his success for later life, George Fuller will ring the bell.

Rollins Decoration of Honor Given to Paula W. Siedenburg

An Early Student At Rollins
She Has Been a Trustee
For The Past Six Years

Mr. Caldwell:

The Rollins Decoration of Honor is given by the Trustees only in recognition of distinguished services to Rollins College. It is awarded only to trustees, members of the faculty, the administrative staff, alumni, or friends of the College whose services have been a real and significant contribution to the progress and welfare of Rollins.

Under the regulation of the Board of Trustees the Decoration is to be given by the recipients at all academic occasions of Rollins which they attend or whenever they wear the formal academic costume of the College.

At this Convocation the Trustees are making two awards. The first is to Mrs. Paula W. Siedenburg, a member of the Board of Trustees of Rollins College since 1933.

Mrs. Siedenburg's parents, the late Louis F. Dummerick and Julie Dummerick, were pioneer settlers in Highland. Her father was one of the most loyal and devoted trustees of Rollins College in the early days of its stress and struggle. Mrs. Siedenburg was a student in the preparatory school at Rollins during the winter months when she was living here as a girl with her parents.

In her home at Greenwich, Connecticut, she has ever been active in social service and philanthropic endeavor. She is especially inter-

ested in botany and ornithology and has been very active in the Greenwich Garden Club and in the Garden Club of Florida, where she has served on such committees as conservation, horticulture, and billboard elimination. With her brothers she still keeps up the old ancestral home in Maidland and is interested in all good movements for the improvement of the college and the community.

I present to you, Mr. President, Paula W. Siedenburg for the Rollins Decoration of Honor.

Paula W. Siedenburg, for your service to Rollins College as a neighbor, a benefactor, a trustee, and for your leadership in all good cause wherever you have made your home—North or South—I have the honor to confer upon you the Rollins Decoration of Honor and admit you to all its rights and privileges.

Astronomy Notice

The Rollins Astronomy Club will hold another of their Monday open house meetings at the telescope, March 6. The telescope is located on the lake front and may be reached by going past the Kappa Alpha House on Rollins Avenue along the lighted path. Students are especially welcome at these meetings.

New York University has instituted three courses in religion to combat the tide of persecution, "How common is the dictator-controlled nations."

Co-eds Want Escorts

COLUMBIA, O.—(ACP)—Yes, believe it or not, today's co-eds are in need of men to escort them to social and good-time functions.

Proof of the fact is a brand-new survey made by two Ohio State University students, J. W. Danner and Dan Zeigler—proof that was as conclusive to them that they've announced the establishment of an escort service on the Buckeye campus.

Of the 213 girls questioned 193 indicated they would "perhaps" patronize such a service, and 32 would definitely make use of it. More than three-fourths of them would use the service to get a date for a visiting friend, while half of them would patronize the service for themselves.

"Oddly enough, some of the most popular girls are among the most interested," Danner pointed out. "Part of the interest is created by the novelty of the idea, and part of it seems to arise from advantages we didn't even see ourselves until they were pointed out by some of the girls."

"At present Danner and Zeigler have 10 escorts engaged in the service. Prices are, in addition to the expense of the date, 75 cents for afternoon, \$1.50 evenings, \$3 formal. Photographs of "singles" will be furnished upon request.

Florida Writer Is Granted Honorary Literary Degree

Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings
Receives Citation After
Nomination by Dr. Burien

Dr. Burien:

Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings was born in Washington, D. C., and educated at the University of Wisconsin. She is, therefore, not a native Floridian. But in 1928 she purchased an orange grove in a sparsely settled section of North Central Florida and has since devoted her abilities to writing sketches and stories which have brought her wide reputation and placed her among our best writers, living or dead, who, in fictional form, have added to our knowledge of regional life and made us better Americans.

Mrs. Rawlings' interest in her own words, is "the integration of the Florida rural natives with their background." This involves pictures of both white and black folk, and her three novels, "South Moon Under", "Golden Apples" and the remarkable success of last year, "The Yearling", are known wherever Americans read fiction and have carried her fame abroad. These stories display keen observation, sympathetic understanding of the types portrayed, and a rich blend of humor, pathos and drama. Mrs. Rawlings in such studies takes her place among our finest delineators of the native scene. Her recognition is as deserved as it is definite.

Mr. President, I have the honor to present to you Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings for the degree of Doctor of Literature.

Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings, adopted daughter of Florida, American writer of stories which depict with skill, vividness, sympathy and charm, certain aspects of native life, widely applauded by your fellow Americans, thus adding both to our enjoyment of fiction and insight into our social and economic conditions, Rollins College bestows upon you the degree of Doctor of Literature and admits you to all its rights and privileges.

The Texas College of Arts and Industries has the largest privately assembled geological collection in the south.

Ohio State University students have been fined \$4,700 for traffic violations in four years by the student court.

President Chas. Seymour Speaks at Founders' Day Convocation in Chapel

Alexander Bloch Directs Symphony In Third Concert

Arnold Kunrad Kvam, Soloist,
Is Violinist; Plays
Beethoven Symphony

The Central Florida symphony orchestra directed by Alexander Bloch, gave its third concert of the 1938-39 season Wednesday evening, February 22. The orchestra and the soloist, Arnold Kunrad Kvam, Violinist, played to a large and enthusiastic audience in the Winter Park high school auditorium.

Mr. Kvam is the first violinist in the orchestra and is a remarkably brilliant young musician. He has played with the Baltimore symphony orchestra, with the Danish Philharmonic society, directed by Dr. Richard Strauss, and has toured through the principal cities of Europe as a member of Dr. Edwin Fischer's Kammerorchestra. The number he played Wednesday evening, *The minor concerto for violin and orchestra* by Saint-Saens, exhibited an excellent technique and deep musical understanding. This concerto and the overture to the opera "Othello" composed by Carl Maria von Weber, were broadcast over the Rollins variety radio program. The horn section did a noteworthy place of work in the overture, which the orchestra played brilliantly.

The climax of the evening was perhaps the first movement of the well known and loved fifth symphony in C minor by Ludwig van Beethoven. Mr. Bloch's inspired conducting deserves special commendation, and he can be justly proud of his orchestra and soloist. The attendance and enthusiasm of the audience showed how fully they appreciated the fine work done in the concert.

Fleetwood Peoples Awarded Sidney Sullivan Medallion

Director of Aquatics And
Naturalist Is Honored For
His Work At The College

Dean Engart:

Rollins College can bestow no greater honor than the Sullivan Medallion. It is given not for achievement gained by self, but for character acquired and enriched thru following noble ideals and serving one's fellow men.

Ever since the New York Southern Society designated Rollins as one of the very few institutions of higher learning in the United States to bestow this award, Rollins College has been privileged to give the award to a citizen on Founders Day and to two students on commencement. All the recipients of the Citizens' Award have been chosen from men and women whose lives and character have long blessed the world.

This year Rollins has selected a man in the prime of his life, but whose devoted services to Rollins and all its students, to the community, and especially its youth, have not been exceeded by anyone—even those much farther along life's pathway. It would be difficult to say whether this man has greater understanding for nature or human nature. There is scarcely a son or daughter of Rollins he has not taught swimming, canoeing or life-saving. His hiking trips afield and camping expeditions down the Wekiva River will be remembered by our graduates as long as memories of Rollins remain. As former Professor of



DR. CHAS. S. SEYMOUR

Degree Is Awarded To Luis de Flores, Science Inventor

Interest Lies In Equipment
For Airplanes And Petro-
lium Refining

Judge Cheney:

Luis de Flores was born in New York City at the threshold of the last decade of the nineteenth century, when mechanical progress was the watershed of the nation. He was graduated from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology with the degree of Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering.

His inventive genius first made itself evident as an under-graduate, for in his senior year he devised a simple, unique and altogether effective means of measuring and recording the thrust of airplane propellers. This experiment was undoubtedly the first scientific research involving instruments of airplanes in flight, a procedure that has now become (Continued on page 3)

Remembers Woodrow Wilson's
Ideals In Education And
Tells Of Recent Changes

Education More For Practical Purposes

Says Country Has Need Of
Youth With Understanding
Not Special Training

Dr. Charles Seymour, President of Yale University and noted peace advocate, spoke to a crowd of 800 assembled in the Knowles Memorial Chapel last Monday for the annual Founders' Day Convocation. The following is the text of his address:

Today my mind goes back almost automatically to another academic assembly, some thirty-one years ago, dominated by a great academic figure great as a university professor and president before he became a great political statesman; one with whom your own president was closely associated and who always loomed heavily upon the mind of President Holt. It was a Phi Beta Kappa dinner in my senior year in Yale College, an affair organized by undergraduates but not lacking in distinction. Its guest was guaranteed by Billy Phelps, who presided; its wit by Arthur Twining Hadley, like Bishop Berkeley endowed with every virtue under heaven, himself reported as capable of applying a Latin phrase with a Greek quip or Hebrew pun. On the toastmaster's right and left sat the two succeeding presidents of the United States, William Howard Taft and Woodrow Wilson, the one an almost sure bet, the other scarcely dreamed of as political material. The Latin oration was given by Tracy Peck and its majestic phrases travelled steadily toward the celebration we hoped for—the unofficial but the initial re-miniscence of Taft for the presidency and in sorrowful Latin at that. Undergraduate enthusiasm was interlarded by one general delight in catching the general drift of the nomination speech, for American appreciation of Latin is heightened when by a fortunate chance one understands it.

The man who was to succeed Taft in the White House and for three years to exercise more influence in the world than any American in history, was for the moment forgotten. He was only a college president. But when Woodrow Wilson spoke he ran away with the show—a magnificent example of rhetorical robbery. His speech was expressed in the simplest of phrases; I have studied the photographic report, for Wilson gave it extemporaneously and without notes, and I have discovered in its entire length only fourteen adverbs and those expressive of restraint—such words as "consistently," "thoroughly," "exactly," "plainly." But the intellectual persuasion of the appeal was irresistible. I do not think that it was excelled in this respect by any later address of Woodrow Wilson even when his audience comprised the entire world. We undergraduates left the hall completely captured.

Wilson's thesis was one which today might seem hackneyed; that the object of a university is intellectual distinction. In those days however there was need of its expression. He was speaking in the golden age when college and college men were spontaneous, when apogees must be offered to alumni for any intellectual effort, when having was on the defensive and college men were asked as a favor by faculties to bring it into the circle of collegiate interests. "Is it not true," asked Wilson, "we stopped asking indulgence for learning and proclaimed its necessity? Is it not true we reminded the college men of this country that they have no right to any distinctive place in any community unless they can show it by

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Orlando

Dr. Holt Confers Humanities Degree On Sprague-Smith

Founder And Leader Of Back Festival Cited For Unselfish Service To Humanity

Dr. Holt: I present to you one whom it is a delight to honor, not only for her quiet and inspiring service in many fields of human endeavor. She was born of distinguished lineage, her father Benjamin W. Holt being a noted educator and statesman. She is a niece of Judge Theodore W. Dwight whose teaching gifts as the head of the Law School of Columbia University are remembered to you. She is the great-granddaughter of Timothy Dwight for 22 years President of Yale University.

In her own right she has made notable contributions to the cultural life of every community in which she has lived. She was educated in her father's private school. She studied art in New York and in Paris. She maintained for a number of years a studio and taught classes in Art in New York and later at the Veltis School for girls, of which she was for many years assistant principal.

She has traveled widely and resided in many countries. In 1896 she assisted her distinguished husband in the founding and directing of the People's Institute of New York City, which has served for 44 years as one of the great public centers of America.

During the period of the World War she was active in many fields of human service. Under her leadership in 1914 the Veltis School raised the money and sent an ambulance to France. The School also raised and sent to France nearly \$10,000 for the support of orphan children, and forwarded thousands of dresses and garments for Red Cross hospitals. It raised six times its quota for the rebuilding of the library at Louvain which had been destroyed in the fury of war.

Since coming to Winter Park she has been active in many good works. She is a member of the Board of the Hungerford School, and First Vice President of the Mead Botanical Garden now under construction. Her most conspicuous contribution to the Winter Park community has been as founder and dynamic leader of the inspiring Back Festival which is being presented next week for the 44th year in this cathedral chapel.

Mr. President, I have the honor of recommending to you Isabelle Dwight Sprague-Smith for the degree of Doctor of Humanities.

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Dr. Holt Awards Homer With Doctor Of Music Degree

Mr. Thomas Presents Noted Composer And Artist For Accomplishments In Music

Mr. Thomas: If it is better to be born in Boston than born again, Sidney Homer has that honor. Educated in the Boston Latin School and Phillips Academy, Andover, his musical education began under George W. Chadwick, the eminent New England organist-composer. He then spent five years in Germany, three of which years he studied under Joseph Rheinberger at the Royal Conservatory of Munich. On returning to Boston he was for eight years a teacher of harmony and counterpoint, and also conducted lectures and classes in the study of symphonies and Wagnerian music drama.

His entire professional life has been devoted to composition. He has made the whole range of music his field, especially the songs, operas, fugues and chamber music. His compositions are frequently performed on concert programs, and last year his beautiful song, "Sleep and Lullaby," was sung in this Chapel.

This very week the Macmillan Company published "My Wife and I," an autobiography of himself and Louise Homer, undoubtedly the greatest and most beloved dramatic contraltos that America has produced. Since Madame Homer retired from the opera, this musical pair have devoted themselves to leading the helping hand to young musicians and otherwise fostering music and its appreciation throughout the United States.

Mr. President, I have the honor of presenting to you, Sidney Homer for the degree of Doctor of Music.

President Holt: Sidney Homer, artist, composer, author, for your devotion to what the poet has personified as "Music, Heavenly Mute", for your gifts as a composer, and for the high ideals you have ever followed as a musician and a man, Rollins College confers upon you the degree of Doctor of Music and admits you to all its rights and privileges.

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Benefactor Of Colleges And Hospitals Is Presented With Coveted Decoration

Mr. Brown: I know of no one, who by the generous giving of her substance or the still more generous giving of her spirit, more deserves the honor at the hands of Rollins, or for that matter at the hands of a hundred other colleges, hospitals and associations for human betterment, than Mrs. Henry Alvah Strong of Washington, D. C.

Would that time permitted the enumeration of the countless benefactions, large and small, Mrs. Strong has made in her long and unselfish life devoted to good causes. But one of her benefactions—to me, at least—stands out above all the rest, since it has been my privilege to come into the most intimate contact with students who must have financial help if they are to get the most precious thing a youth can acquire, namely, an education. Mrs. Strong has thus opened the door of opportunity liberally to thousands of unfortunates young people of every race and creed, and she has done this so beautifully and so humanely that I am sure her influence will be transmitted from generation to generation. Indeed, the can never see in some student who affectionately calls her "Mother Strong". Many sons and daughters of Rollins have this happy privilege.

Mr. President, I have the honor of presenting Mrs. Henry Alvah Strong for the Rollins Decoration of Honor.

Hattie M. Strong, it is not because of your many diverse benefactions to good causes, deserving as they are of all honor, that Rollins would decorate you today, but rather because ever and beyond those manifestations of generosity and goodwill you have ever shown the deepest concern for the moral and intellectual culture of youth, and because you have put your whole heart and soul into the lives of young people, who have thus become in very truth your spiritual children. These are the reasons why Rollins College now confers upon you the Decoration of Honor and admits you to all its rights and privileges.

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Degree Is Awarded To Luis de Florez, Science Inventor

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fundamental to all aviation progress.

Upon graduation, he entered the employ of an engineering company serving the petroleum industry, and has ever since been closely connected with the refining of petroleum, acting as a consultant for many of the large companies, including the Texas Company, the Gulf Refining Company, Standard Oil of New York, and others. Since 1928 he has been president of his own engineering corporation, engaged in the design, construction, and operation of cracking plants for various oil refineries in the United States and foreign countries. In 1913 he invented the de Florez cracking process, which was to make gasoline from kerosene. In the subsequent twenty-five years that he has been active in the petroleum industry he has produced and invented various types of new equipment that have now become standard design in the refining and cracking of petroleum oils.

During the world war he returned to his first love, aviation and in 1917-18 served as inspector of naval construction in charge of research, design and production of instruments and accessories in the Aviation Division of the United States Navy Department in Washington, D. C. During this period he participated in the development of some thirty or forty new instruments for airplanes. But all of his time was not devoted to design, for he also did some testing and flying during this first year of the war. It should be added that Mr.

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de Florez now holds the rank of Lieutenant Commander in the United States Naval Reserve and is an authorized navy pilot. He also has a Department of Commerce commercial pilot's license and an F. A. I. certificate.

Mr. deFlores is probably as well known for his work in aviation as he is for his achievements in the petroleum industry. He has played a most prominent part in the development of methods for "blind flying". He has developed an automatic pilot or robot for airplanes which seems destined to play a most important part in airplane instrumentation and control. At the moment, Mr. de Florez is involved in a most interesting study of so-called "blind flying". Most scientists are extremely modest about the practical application of their discoveries, and Luis de Florez is no exception. He has expressed the thought that while this particular research is the most interesting he has ever undertaken, there is a good chance that it may never have any practical application. However, with the present extensive use of radio signals, there is good cause to believe that Mr. de Florez has again been his modest and the future will see airplane pilots flying by means of hearing rather than by the strenuous method of watching fifty or more instruments.

Mr. President, I have the honor to present to you Luis de Florez for the degree of Doctor of Science.

President Holt: Luis de Florez, engineer, chemist, inventor, industrial and aerological scientist, and may I add my friend and neighbor in the Connecticut hills, for your genius as an inventor, which, on the one hand has increased the useful yield of one of nature's vital and basic resources and played a prominent part in the upbuilding of a great industry, and, on the other hand, has rendered signal service to the science of flight, for your researches in aeronautical science, and for your courage and foresight in blazing new experimental pathways in this field, Rollins College confers upon you the degree of Doctor of Science and admits you to all its rights and privileges.

Trade Winds' Coming Thursday and Friday

Baby Grand to Show Film Starring March, Bennett

No dramatic picture ever to reach the screen has equalled in the variety of its fast-flung scenic backgrounds, Walter Wanners' "Trade Winds," which comes to the Baby Grand Theatre on Thursday and Friday through United Artists release, with Fredric March and Joan Bennett in the starring roles.

This thrilling and yet light-hearted screenplay tells the story of a detective chase that leads half way around the world, and authentic scenes are shown in the seven different countries in which portions of the action take place. (Continued on page 4)

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TEXT OF CHARLES SEYMOUR'S ADDRESS

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Intellectual achievement? That is a university is a place for distinction at all it must be distinguished by the products of the mind? I for my part tell you plainly that that is my motto that I have entered the field to fight for that thesis, and for that thesis only do I come to fight."

Times have changed and it no longer requires the same sort of courage to maintain this thesis.

RAY GREENE

—Rollins Alumnus—

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It is true that Wilson's dream has not yet in its entirety been made fact. Nor do I believe that now, or ever, the mass of undergraduate will carry the Wilsonian doctrine to the limits of world excess. But it is certain that the normal undergraduate of today is more seriously interested in the curriculum and the intellectual and artistic fringes of the curriculum than his father; that he is capable of greater intellectual effort and more constant personal sacrifice on behalf of his individual development; that the good regime of learning as a college activity is more manifest through the position in the college community held by the able students. There has been a transformation of college life in this sense, and in it we may find cause for deep satisfaction.

The transformation has been accompanied, with or without causal relationship as you may decide, by a changing public attitude on the character and purpose of collegiate education. People evidently regard it as valuable, far more and more are going to college. There has been an increasing demand that academic purposes be defined exactly, that intellectual processes be unified, and that they be closely co-ordinated with what are regarded as the supreme needs of the nation.

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The most startling aspect of the increased interest of the public in the serious aspects of college life is to be found in the insistence upon the practical usefulness of the curriculum. Alumni parents have very largely ceased to send their sons to college in order to make desirable social contacts or, as they say, to learn human nature "by rubbing elbows with the other fellow." But they do expect the college to provide a curriculum which they regard as directly related to the problems of a livelihood, that we prepare the students, as the alumnus says, "for the life they must lead."

"What is the course good for?" they ask. As the problems of government, of social and of economic transition occupy more and more of newspaper headline space, the parents call for what is described as a "sound training" in these fields. Science also is approved by them as a desirable subject of study, because this is a "scientific age."

It is natural perhaps, but unfortunate in my opinion, that the demand to be shown what the college is good for should have led to some response on the part of enthusiastic educators, even ready to advertise the practical values of their own particular fields. "Take this major," the student is told, "and be prepared for the vital problems of life."

Whether such advertisement is justified in the practical sense seems to me at least doubtful. I am personally enthusiastic in approving the study of history, government, and international relations; I believe there is good reason for the increase in the number of students majoring in those fields. But it is quite clear that this increase, as well as the development of many new courses in such subjects, has had no perceptible practical effect in helping to solve the problems of government or to meet those raised by the conflict of nations. No one disputes the value of the study of economics. But its practical service to the nation has yet to be proved. By and large, during the past generation economics has been among the most widely chosen of all fields of study.

By and large, during the past generation economics has been among the most widely chosen of all fields of study. We ought to be equipped as a nation with an army of experts capable of providing a diagnosis of our economic disease and a cure for it. Doubtless both diagnosis and cure

are concealed in the lemma of certain economists or exposed upon their printed pages. But which economist? And how is the correct solution of the problem to be translated into practical policy?

Pure science, without any doubt or cavil, lies very close to the inner purposes of university intellectual activity. Of all subjects of university study, this we might say needs no apology. It is rather disturbing, therefore, to discover protagonists of pure science denigrating its study on the ground of the practical, if unexploited, aspect upon it brings to mind. As Mumford Jones points out, the implied argument for pure science in current discussion is that it is not after all, very pure—"at least not embarrassingly so." We are not asked to admire the glories of quadratic equations but rather "to admire Clerk Maxwell, who sat at his desk writing out a new mathematical formula for electro-magnetism, and who unconsciously gave birth to the Radio Corporation of America."

It may well be that from the university faculties and laboratories will proceed men and ideas that will serve the national welfare, whether in the fields of government, economics, or applied science. The colleges of the country cannot become divorced from national life or disregard their ultimate responsibility to the nation without risk of the destruction that overtook the renaissance men they have cultivated their usefulness. But the liberal college should not be transformed into a technical training school. As regards our main purpose, our best service to the nation and to the welfare of mankind will be fulfilled if we effectively mind our own business, the business of cultivating a single-minded devotion to intellectual activity in the fields we choose to make our own. For the chief tool of the nation is not expert technicians but rather men who have been trained to use their minds and who will bring into the life of the people and into the processes of government the spirit of scholarship.

I quote again from Wilson's address in 1906, words strangely applicable to the present: "There never was a time when the spirit of scholarship was more needed in affairs than it is in this country at this time. . . . The whole fault of the modern age is that it ap-

plies to everything a false standard of efficiency. Efficiency with us is accomplished, whether the accomplishment be by just and well-considered means or not; and this standard of achievement it is that is debasing the norms of our age, the intellectual norms of our age. We do not stop to do things thoroughly; we do not stop to know why we do things. We see an error and we hastily correct it by a greater error; and then go on to try that the age is corrupt."

The purpose of the liberal college is to open opportunities whereby the student may acquire toward truth the attitude of a scholar, opportunities which are not commonly provided in the busle and anxiety that attends the winning of a livelihood. It is a different purpose from that of a technical or professional school and it rests upon the foundation of humanism. "The object of humane studies," says Lord Tweedsmuir in his Edinburgh installation address, "is the understanding of human nature, the broadening of human interests and the better appreciation of the purpose of human life." Technique raises none of these questions. It is the mastery of brute fact for a utilitarian end, its concern is with material things and not with those of the spirit. He goes on to insist, and rightly, that humane learning must include the pure sciences and be quoted the famous Cambridge toast, "God bless the highest mathematics and may they never be of the slightest use to anybody." It is the attitude and not the subject that matters. As Aristotle points out, if a man "does or learns anything for its own sake, or with a view to the development of his mind and character, then that pursuit, whatever its subject, will be a liberal education."

If there is any meaning in words, freedom is an essential attribute of such an education. I assume, of course, freedom from the domination of political dictatorship which spells the end of learning, freedom from political emotions which if allowed to creep in would replace scholarship with nationalistic apoplexies: we should none be expounding our American theology, our American wealth of talent, our American therapeutics, our American metaphysics of protest. But there is danger also lost from love of systematic

education and in the name of organized philosophy we surrender this all-important quality of freedom. I do not mean that the student should roam at will through the fields of knowledge aimlessly, plucking what blossoms please him and tossing them aside, as they fade, for the brighter flowers in our next field. But I do insist that in attempting to co-ordinate our studies we must not impose a closed system of thought which, whatever its virtues as a mental exercise, places a strait-jacket upon the human mind.

I am conscious of the conditions that stimulate criticism of our existing curricula in college and university. It is true that we suffer from a confusion of purpose in our different courses that seems at times to approach chaos. "Why's it?" asks President Hutchins, "that the chief characteristic of the higher learning is disorder? . . . Because there is no ordering principle in it. . . . The common sense of all parts of a university may and should be the pursuit of truth for its own sake. But this common aim is not sufficiently precise to hold the university together while it is moving towards it. Real unity can be achieved only by a hierarchy of truths which shows us which are fundamental and which subsidiary, which significant and which not."

Now it is certainly of the first importance that the student be enabled to perceive the relation of one field of study to another. It is true only that he can acquire the perspective which is the hallmark of an educated man. Woodrow Wilson used to dream of instituting a Professorship in the Relationship of Things. There can be no question of the desirability of a unifying philosophy that would permeate all the fields of intellectual endeavor. But if such integration be unified by a systematic academic organization, we run the danger that the price paid is too high for values received. Who is to establish the hierarchy of truths suggested by Mr. Hutchins? And whether they are set up as he plans, through a system of metaphysics, or as advocated by others through a system of theology, do we not enmesh with a set of dogmas arbitrarily selected, to which our studies are subordinated? We should doubtless enjoy the privilege of protection from intellectual confusion. For this privi-

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As we should have surmised a large measure of intellectual independence. What seems to me the higher advantage of a liberal education would be secured in order to achieve one of a lower importance. Intellectual detachment, whether proceeding from a man, from Government, or from a systematic philosophy, must be fatal to the liberal college and would transform the university into an institute of scholasticism. "It is true," says Tweedsmuir, "that it would give us orderliness, but it would be the orderliness of death."

The liberal college has definite responsibilities: to provide intellectual opportunities not elsewhere available and to inculcate in its students a devotion to learning and a loyalty to truth. It is consecrated to the ideal and it has no traffic with the utilitarian. Study and teaching alike must proceed with the full safeguard of freedom from dictatorship. The liberal college will not produce expert technicians nor dogmatic philosophers. But if we translate our principles into practice it will produce men with a perspective gained from acquaintance with the literary, aesthetic, and scientific grandeur of the past and with a vision capable of understanding the problems and the opportunities of the present. Of such men the nation has vital need.

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